Capt. Frost has our thanks for fine

H. Schmidt has our thanks for fa-

Tom Coons is tending bar at Far-D. A. Ball has our thanks

for favors H. Kennan has our thanks for favors.

seek to attend to some business

subscription list grows every day.

made us a pleasant call this week.

They did good and faithful work.

ant affair.

Powell to reside.

temperance column.

on business last week.

James Roy is recovering from take the cake last week. Mr. Septimus Martin is going to

buy the Rainey property. Dr. W. C. Pipino made a business good newspaper reporter. trip to St. Louis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morris are vis without doctors and editors. iting relatives in St. Louis. The Mountain Pink was the best

parents, according to the grand jury play we ever had in Mexico. The Building and Loan association rather suddenly. snow in good running order. Hon. W. H. Kennan was home last

friend about a "coal house?" Does The Ledger never lets up. Its he think she don't want a fine resi-Hon. J. F. Rucker, of Sturgeon,

The grand jury adjourned Monday. J. S. Crawford writes us that h has moved to San Antonia, Texas. Dr. Brice Edwards of St. Charles then hauled the wood down to his county, was home last week on a visit. own house. Robert Graham and family will

shortly move to their fine farm near Billy Hooton keeps it.

Patterson's Dog. We hear that some of the

Ricketts' this week was a very pleas-Monday was ground hog day. The hog saw his shadow and skipped Sterling Carter and Henry Richart have gone to California with R. T. The obituary of John A. Crockett will appear next week. Also the J. N. Cross, the hustling editor of the Laddonia Herald, was in Mexico Eld. John A. Brooks told what he Marmaduke, who is boarding there, then told the grand jury he expected folks up with a hot stick that they able. knew about prohibition, at the court and other members of the family. He he could tell the reason that each one come to the front so strong. Go on That Bob White has always held county next Tuesday.

ico on business last week. Willard Potts has moved his res- plode. tangant to the commodious room un-

der the old Central hotel. Young Mr. Steinman found Mr. Calhoun's pocket book containing \$50. He received \$25 reward.

Ex-Gov. C. H. Hardin and wife are in New Orleans and will visit Pensacols, Florida, before they return. Mr. John Marmaduke and family

will occupy Mr. Tucker's house when he moves into his new residence. Two farmers in Callaway county

wolves during the last snow storm. Col. E. M. Hughes, one of Montgomery county's best lawyers, was attending court in Mexico this week.

visiting the family of J. C. Shepherd. dence to Wm. Coons, of Callaway, sketches and very amusing in the questions I flatly refused to do so. brother of Joe Coons of this city for humorous scenes, keeping the audi-

Mrs. Gremm is Joe Schuhmacher's 12th. mother.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church, South, meets at the residence of Mrs. H. A. Ricketts this afternoon. Several people were killed and a

burg, Pa., last Saturday. John M. Clark, son of J. P. Clark.

of the Freeman Woodenware Manu- bone, encouragement and money to a land belonged originally to L. L. facturing Co. of Louisiana, Mo. Mr. Drumheler, a substantial farmer

of near Middletown, made us a pleasant call Tuesday. His son George is now a subscriber to the LEDGER.

F. M. Johns is going to build large and commodious carpenter shop just west of the jail on the large lot just west of the jail on the large lot wife arose he appeared to be all right. he has just bought from C. W. Baker. When she went back to the room a

Press, was in Mexico last week and He had been ill a long time, but death the first wife and Burgdorf secured a Each one has his private beat and called. He is looking well and thinks was not expected so soon. this world the best one he ever lived

her friend, Mrs. Dixie Tyler, of St. ed. S. A. Winscott borrowed the only to a homestead interest of the Miss Nettie Moore was disinterred by doctor or preacher will do; at thirty- Miss Golding, accompanied by Mrs. Louis, have been making Mrs. Dr. first \$600, 9 per cent. per annum and children of the former wife until they the proper officers and an autopsy five, an itinerant tinker; over thirty- Ragsdale made us a pleasant call.

Mrs. Jas. Finn, of this city, fell last by the association. The B. and L. widow left by Henderson, the widow not ready as yet to return a verdict. That a man who owes several years Sunday on the ice and broke her left Association is starting off with the having since died, in turn inherits They are perhaps waiting for other subscription on a newspaper and within his control to prevent him February 10th. Admission, 25, 35, arm at the wrist. Dr. W. C. Pipino right foot first and will be a success. the land absolutely, and sued in witnesses and the coroner can call asks the postmaster to send it back from keeping his engagements. His witnesses and the coroner can call asks the postmaster to send it back from keeping his engagements. was called and the lady is fast recov-

this city went out to Miss Jennie At-Saturday night to attend a party and at Slater, and would make a good became curator of Sallie Henderson

charming Miss Jennie. Greenamyer we see that he is in busi- properly heated and attendants at ness in Kansas City and is doing well He sends his regards to W. R. Carter. 'Gene Tomlinson, Tom Hughes and house and during the season its pat-

all the rest of the boys. brewery now has for sale Lemp's Extract of Malt, which is widely recommended for the sick by physicians.
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Teams of Sale Lemp's Exdo all sums under \$10,
or all H. Schmidt, agent for W. J. Lemp's



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If you want an Overcoat for Man or Boy A SUIT for Man or Boy, COME NOW! A Pair of Pants or Coat for Man or Boy, COME NOW! A Hat or Cap for Man or Boy, COME NOW! A Pair of Boots or Shoes for Man or Bôy, COME NOW! Z

A fine Trunk for a Man or Lady, COME NOW! An Undershirt or pair of Drawers, Handkerchief, Suspenders, Hosiery, white and fancy Shirts, Collars and Cuffs,

We have called in the "Broom Brigade," and will sweep the BARGAINS out with a rush. Once more we say, Now!

Barth. Vic

Leaders in Styles and Outfitters of all Mankind, North Side Square, MEXICO, MO.

H. Hall Released.—His Statement. Hamilton Hall, who was sent to for refusing to give the name of the ored people in Pollock's pond, 28 city came near being poisoned by grand juror who was a member of men and 29 women. He cut a large eating corroded vinegar. children are afraid of Dr. Patterson's said jury, has been released. The some of the bredren and sister'n were one but the wooden one. dog. The dog is harmless and loves old jury was sent for and still the taking as they went through the hole.

soon as the fire alarm bell sounds he of the grand jury for October term, "jined" the church several times bewakes the folks up, and when they 1884: L. Munday, foreman; P. M. fore are not more in earnest this time let him out runs to the engine house Morris, J. T. Harrison, O. T. Rollins, their manner of salvation would be and stays with the machine. He can J. N. Roseberry, Alex Keene, J. T. the means of their loss. We are glad tell whether the bell is rung for a Guthrie, J. M. Smith, O. P. Smith, to see such a revival among the colzing up and was nearly ready to ex- matter came up in a casual conversa- into trouble, as did your predecessor.

was doing wrong, and as a matter of Billy Hooton keeps it. 43-tf The city council at a called meet- course he never thought of it again and has entirely forgotten it. At the pressed brick on north and east learned, and if learned he was only fine trade and the addition of these since.

> HIS STATEMENT. explains itself:

marshal's office and calaboose; on fo the Editor of the Ledger. the second floor will be the council Mexico, Mo., Feb. 2, 1885 .-- I room, recorder's office and jury room, have been told that Mr. Thomas B. are without any bad habits at all. tions that I last Tuesday refused to undertaking of not being outdone by don't stop the neighbors are going to The entertainment in the Mechanics' Course last night was given by Street Possess and the county jail, in regard to the juror Street Possess and the county jail, in regard to the juror That and the county jail, in regard to the juror That a Constitution of the county jail, in regard to the juror That a Constitution of the county jail, in regard to the juror That a Constitution of the county jail, in regard to the juror That a county jail, in regard to answer to the grand jury, and for never been heard here before. Mr. When I was asked by the grand jury anything in their line. ence in great good humor. He will a statement of the case without men- tainments of the season that we have be very cordially greeted here should tioning any names, and I did so and had the pleasure of attending, was Mrs. C. Gremm, of Chattanooga, he come again, which we hope he I was discharged from custody. Tennessee, is visiting friends here. will.-Worcester (Mass.) Spy, Dec. These are the facts in the case and

Important Land Decision.

February 10th. Admission 25, 35 Among the important cases determined in our circuit court this week vana filler, for sale by Theo. Garrett. are those of J. A. Hudson curator Geo. A. Brock of this city, takes of Sallie Henderson, minor, against neighborhood, containing 160 acres live newspaper. If there were no Henderson, who died in the spring of

nel from the other two children of the making \$4 or \$5 a week each. first wife. Hudson claimed that, under the law of 1867, the last wife inherited the land absolute, subject derson, being the only child of the the coroner's jury because they are an editor up to a coachman. Thos. J. Casey, a leading citizen and for rents and profits for 1884. them together at any time. The body "refused," without paying up, would record in this respect is remarkable. of Slater, formerly a merchant of this Finding for plaintiff, with rent at \$2 was re-buried the same night. The put tar in his hat when taking up a At the Opera House Tuesday eve., of Slater, formerly a merchant of this city, was in to see us Tuesday. He is a candidate for the postmastership for dimediate for dimediate for the postmastership for dimediate for the postmastership for dimediate for the postmastership for dimediate for dimediate for the postmastership for dimediate for dimediate for the postmastership for dimediate for is a candidate for the postmastership finding in both cases. Mr. Hudson The end is not yet.

Mr. John A Wood, recently from long but has made friends fast and shows can enjoy some comfort. Kentucky and a brother-in-law of Mexico has a large and comfortable Col. Kelly, of the Moberly Monitor, association and all who know him made us a pleasant call this week. rons enjoy some of the best enter- He represents the Equitable Life Insurance Co. of New York in North-

"Climbing Up The Golden Stairs." Last Sunday the colored Baptist jail, as reported in last week's Ledger, minister of this city haptized 57 colthe last grand jury before this, and hole in the ice and it made the lookwho told him some of the secrets of ers-on shiver to think what chances their music box-not the two-legged

fire or a drill. When the paper is left M. Bybee, A. C. Sox. J. C. Baskin. ored people, It shows their morals on the front steps he goes out and Mr. Hall says that it was neither are improving and that they are brings it in. When he thinks there Guthrie, Roseberry nor Munday who thinking of something besides where is nothing in it he leaves it. A few told him. This leaves the matter they would get their next spring nights since he came running down between the other nine. Mr. Hall chicken. Brother Silas Smith's sucstairs and began to move around Mr. was sent for from jail Monday and cessor must have been stirring the peared excited and ran up and then of the jury said it was not him. He in your good work, brother, and that people seldom got their just de- Mrs. Link's health is improving. J. A. Hudson of the Macon Times, down the stairs. On examination it said he really did not think the juror don't let the sisters get stuck on and made us a pleasant call while in Mex- was found a lamp up stairs was bla- remembered telling him, because the jealous of you and you will not get his mind.

tion and the juror did not think he Everybody likes the Iola cigar.

J. D. Morris & Co. E. R. Locke (Ellie) and R. L. Morris same time he would not give his name. (Bob) have bought an interest in the should be preached over the remains two live and enterprising young busi-The following letter from Mr. Hall firm still more flourishing. They are troit Free Press, went rabbit hunting two of the few young men of this city last Monday and killed a wagon load who attend strictly to business and of rabbits.

I. O. O. F. Banquet.

One of the most pleasant enterthe banquet given by the Odd Fel- giving him a good thrashing and then cussion, "Cancer of the Stomach." Mr. Thomas B. Buckner will not, I lows lodge on the occasion of Grand making him pay. Secretary, E. M. Sloan, being here. The supper prepared by Willard city is large and flourishing, being who endorse notes. composed of some of our best citi-Henry Detienne and Mr. Burgdorf of zens. Several visitors from a distance county is only waiting till his arm belonging to the order were presand the members generally, have our certain gent who lives in Mexico."

thanks for appreciated favors. Mexico Newsboys. child by the surviving wife, and four and others, all hustlers, and the numbers attending. children by a former wife. .The last ber of St. Louis papers they sell in That pleasure is a silken chord children in all. It was claimed that papers come in a sack) to see the tiful hue. Duty is a golden rope, the five children inherited the land boys meet at the back deor of the which once thrown over our necks equally. Detienne bought what he post office. All get their papers at leads us, unwillingly where pleasure supposed to be two-fifths interest in once and start in different directions is obliged to follow. the land from two of the children of at nearly the same rate of speed. similar claim through the same chan- favorite customers, and all do well,

Resurrection.

true. He is president of the fair will bear us out in saying he is just the man for the place.



That the January thaw is late That the grand jury was "loaded

scoops last week. That the prospect for a very mud- Towels, 10c, 15c, 17 1-2c, 25c.

dy spring is good. That Ed Taylor is the shining light at a country dance.

That Rush Hill will have a block of brick buildings in the spring. That the present grand jury was composed entirely of hummers.

That the grand jury believe marriage and giving in marriage. That one of our friends left his watch when he went down South.

That the Mexico opera house is one of the best heated in the state. That Bob White at last got all the

That we are to have a genuine building boom as soon as spring

That the fascinating (?) traveling man Hoffman is the lightning change That the last sensation is too heart-

rending to publish unless the matter gets into court. That the grand jury was going to investigate where Charley Dobyns

got the \$10 bill. That nearly an entire family of this

That Dobyns & Gibbs have sold

That there was more of a demand

That the city politicians are beginoffice corner Sunday afternoons.

That the grand jury found a true bill against Uncle Abe Hitt on the rat tors. The programme throughout is story and fined him a bushel of ap- interesting.

That Wm. Beck will soon begin to give his open air concerts every evening if the weather continues favor-

That a certain "regular" doctor

who has just withdrawn from the warehouse in addition to their new medical society had better look out store. for his scalp. That some people think no sermon

name of the juror could not be this city. This house now enjoys a dies, as happened in this city not long ness men to the house will make the princeps correspondent of the De- alive with energy, and that a certain

That a gentleman in Southwest narrowly escaped being devoured by closets, etc. This building when Buckner is circulating the report that This firm will now renew its vigor Mexico whips his wife brutally and completed will be a fine structure and I did this morning answer the ques- and business and will succeed in its that she is afraid to complain. If he

That a Connecticut man died from his bones having turned to chalk. People cannot be too careful in regulating the amount of milk they ciety met Saturday at 7 p. m. in the

drink in this world. That Col. Bybee, proprietor of the hers present, Drs. Baskett, Berry, for costs. Laddonia hotel, got even with a Fritts. Russell, Rothwell, Murdock. boarder who did not pay his bill by Walker and Cave. Subject of dis

That the cup of life is filled with punch. Youth furnishes the spirits. Potts was elegant and appreciated middle age the sugar, and old age by all present. The lodge of this the acid. Ice is furnished by men

That a gentleman who lives in the gets well when he will "come to ent. The committee on invitation town and wipe the earth up with a

That Pat Dyer, of Rush Hill, last week licked Mr. Strief, of the same Mexico has some of the brightest place, for making some remarks resuch men there would be no newspa- 1867, leaving this farm as a home- newspaper boys in the state. There flecting on the holiness meetings. stead. Deceased left a wife and one are Stacy, Frost, Suggett, Shootman which some member of his family had

That a girl at sixteen wants a dude with toothpick shoes and a miscroscopic moustache; at twenty, a chief man. justice with piles of tin; at twentyfive she'll be satisfied with a member belle of Fulton, was visiting Mrs. goods. This will prove a big thing sed Top. for Mexico. They are genial, good Last Saturday night the body of of congress; at thirty, a country Susie Ragsdale of this city last week.

stop your paper go to the office, pay up, get a receipt and tell the editor became curator of Sallie Henderson only about a year ago, the former curator having neglected to claim and take possession of the farm for the ward.

Col. Green Clay of this city is curator having neglected to claim and take possession of the farm for the ward.

All of our subscribers get the New York World free again this week. It soon to leave for the South to look lick him if he sends it. Pay what soon to leave for the South to look after his extensive plantations. Col. to and say what you p

> Go to J. W. McKinley's for a Sumatra Principes c'gar. Rather Rough.

We now know why Missouri didn't give 50,000 majority for Cleveland. The Mexico Daily Intelligencer for

Must Go!

Ladies' Kid Gloves, 25c, 50c, 75c per pr.

Ladies' Corsets, 50c, 75c, \$1.

Ladies' Wool Jackets, 50c, 75c, \$1 Ladies' Hdkfs. 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c.

Everything down to suit the times.

A FACT

That we are really offering LADIES' CLOAKS, RUSSIAN CIRCULARS. NEWMARKETS, PLUSHES, &c., for less than they cost. We have received direct from importers a new and fresh line of Hamburgs which we are offering very low-5c, 10c, 15c, 20c per yard and her. Katie discouraged about findupwards.

ondence of the Ledger LADDONIA, Feb. 2.-It is strange items from the court house he want- how some people long for fame and sometimes they will even go so far as to steal another's name to ap pear great. Such was the case with the writer of a letter to the Herald not long since, using the name of "W. H. H. Jackman;" but the "fraud" was discovered and exposed

> The skating rink continues to b well patronized by all classes. Last

> The G. T. Lodge grows in interest. An open session will be given on the night of the 21st. An interesting programme will be carried out, and the public are invited to attend and

> The Literary Society was a grand ton was very fine indeed. Miss M.

> duties as teacher in Montgomery

Stevens & Mitchell are building a

He was released, as it was evident the dry goods house of J. D. Morris, of of a woman who has fallen, when she paid up, that merchants are begingoods, that blacksmiths are hammer-That A. Larkin Bennette, the facile future usefulness, that everybody is

> Mr. Rogers' wonderful versatility tions have won for him, from the press, the title of "The Actor of the for bond for costs filed.

Fire Company. The first drill of the Mexico fire company will be on Friday Feb. 13,

Monday night will agree on the names of the entire company. There are only twenty-three men are needed.

session. John A. Guthrie and M. with the old war horse, who has served with a dozen associates, Judge A. J. Douglass presiding. This is a good court and will give entire satis- next term.

ana filler, for sale by Theo. Garrett. E. M Sloan, Grand Secretary of the I. O. O. F. Lodge of the State of by default. Missouri and a leading Democratic politician of St. Louis, while in Mexjudgment. ico this week on business made us a

Miss Allie Golding, a charming and handle eleven different lines of Clover, per bushe pleased to see you.

All of our subscribers get the New World and you will be happy

Mrs. Fannie Honnaker, of Glasgow, will be in Mexico next Wednes-Mrs. Lizzie Gregg Collard, of Sla day. Ladies absorbed in the national ter, is here visiting relatives. art should call. Tickets are selling rapidly for the

sing operetta of four acts. ACT I.

(STREET.) an Irish widow, Biddie McCane Katie conceives the idea of searching for a mother and tries to advertise

ACT IL (BIDDIE M'CUNE'S CABIN.) Biddie McCune reflects upon bygone days. Katte enters excitedly nd announces the fact that she has found a new idea. Biddie becomes angry. Katie sees her sainted moth-

> ACT III. (STREET.)

Katie appears on the street again, ice washed, dress mended and bair ombed. Mary, a friend of hers, teases her and pretends not to know ing a mother and sings a little song which a lady in mourning hears. I ACT IV.

(A PARLOR.) Katie enters richly dressed but readable, and in proportion his head seems incredulous about her condition and thinks it a dream. Katie has asked her new mother that Biddie J. H. Haydon appointed trustee McCune might live in the house. Biddie hears that "her own Katie is in the parlor where all the fine ladies can put on a six and three-eighths are." Biddie tells the story of Ka- hat, and a shoe horn has to be used tie's life and gives the ring which was in the task. Go on, Robert; when given her with Katie to the lady. All sing a welcome song. CHARACTERS.

Katie Dean.....Lillie Henderso Lady who adopts Katie...Stella Goodlett Biddle McCune, an Irish woman......

entertainment will begin precisely at 7:30 o'clock. The public are invited. No charges.

At M. E. Botts' in this line, Mention this to your neighbor and friend White vs Botkin, continued by Buy yourself and your old clothes mend, U never have seen the like in your days, Remember this is a chance that pays. Give us a call at an early day See for yourself our grand display.

> Go to Yerger's and get the boss musical organ—cheap and complete. Call and see it. 35-tf.

Mexico, Mo., February 5, 1885. LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the post-office at Mexico, Mo., and which, if not called for within four weeks from

Osburn J C J. H. Woods vs W., St. L. & P. Crank H P Draper & Jenkins vs N. E. Adams, Davis R L Ellis Henry H Wilson vs McDonald, judgment Enbanks Roe Frazier Frank Green Giles Guthrie J T C. J. Steele vs C. G. Cunningham Harris Anson Hays William Toalson vs Toliver, judgment by

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Robinson Ledors Robinson Dick Robinson Annie i Robinett Lewis Shares H P Sanford Frank Smith Thos E Towson Hugh Wiseman H L Workman Harton

Parties calling for letters in ist will please say "Advertised." Office open on Sunday from 4 JOHN SAUNDERS, Post Master

MEXICO MARKET REPORT BICKLEY & MOORE,

-DEALERS IN-ALL KINDS OF GROCERIES, rovisions, Flour, Feed, Salt, Glass and Queens ware—all sold low for cash or exchange for all kinds of country produce. Come and see us—NORTHWEST CORNER SQUARE.

Beeswax.
Currants, dried.
Corn Meal, per bushel.
Corn, per barrel...
Cheese.
Coal Oi 150°, per gallon.
Cnickens, per doz.
Coffee, Rio... Eggs, per dozen..... Feathers, prime live ge Hides, dry flint, No. 1 salt, No. 1... renewed, and lands ordered sold at Ho Collins vs Hermon, interlocutory Salt, per barrel. hesdquarters at Mexico. They have a broker's office over the postoffile Vinegar Cider, per gal

Mr. Rogers is engaged again and Public

At the Opera House Tuesday eve., ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1885.

west of Mexico, Mo., on TUESDAY, FEBY 24, 1885, the following described nesday, the beginning of Lent; the property:

75 head of high grade shorthorn cows, nesday, the beginning of Leas, 175 head of high grade shorthorn cows, 17th is Mardi Gras day, the 22d is all bred to an imported Hereford bull. 1 imported Hereford bull, 3 years old in the spring. 1 shorthorn yearling bull.

A lot of stock bogs.

250 harrels corn. All of my farming imp

Katie Dean; or, The Lit- Lurans, was a student at Westmin tle Rag-picker," will be given by the ster College, he took the first prize in his class for besutiful permanship. Feb. 6, 1885, in the College chapel. After graduating he began looking around for some busine he might emberk. One day he met a descon of the Methodist church to Katie Dean, an orphan, living with a deacon of the Methodist church to doubts of the future. Said the descon, "If ye war'nt sich a good writer, Bob, I could git ye a chance to buy a paper up in Audrain county. "But," said lengthy Bob, "what has writing got to do with a paper? "Well, ye see," replied the deacon, "all the great editors were bad penman; Greeley, Stone, Raymond, and so on down to Joe McCullagh, were bad with the gray goose quill, and strange as it may appear, the worse they writ the bigger grew their heads." Bob White felt of his pipin and vowed internally that he would become an editor. The deacon told him the Lepose at Mexico was for sale. touches the lady, for her own little girl used to sing this song; she being dead the kind lady adopts Katie. him the Lepezz at Mexico was for sale. A few weeks after, the name of White appeared at the head of that paper

When Bob White, of the Me

as editor. As he has grown in greatness his penmanship has become unhas grown. Wearing a six and a quarter bat on leaving college, after eight years of journalism and bad penmanship, it is with difficulty he your writing becomes thoroughly unreadable, you will have the head of a Gambetta, who wore a six seveneighths hat .-- American Journalist.

Dynamite Explosion in Mexico. A few days since Mr. Wm. Beck hought some powder from Mr. Fow-Guests.

The entertainment closes with a Gipsy chorus, which is quite in char-little, but Mr. Beck said if a little acter with that Nomadic race. The would do some good more would do fine pieces of the stove. Mr. Beck placed it all in the stove, and "by greshen" it went off like a chunk of dynamite. The stove was pulverized. The famous cat that locked Bill out one night was blown up the flue. Bill's hat (the one the leopard bit) was blown out of the window and his face was so scorched that a few minutes afterwards he could not be recognized by Bro. Marmaduke. The affair could not have been worse unless his entire frame block had been blown out of sight. He says he will fool with no more dynamite or powder, "by greshen."

Too Tough. The St. Louis Chronicle is rather tough in its remarks about the State Board of Health and its pets, and among columns of caustic editorials it says:

The so-called "regular" doctors say a man should be persecuted because he adman should be persecuted because he ad-vertises to do certain alleged "impossi-ble" things. How do these usurping ein-

reason.

The cowardly "regulars" who feel that the life of the usurping State Board of Heal h is in danger, are trying to save that body by playing on the fears of the people through the cholera scare. It is a fit act for men of their kidney. We are opposed to some of the ideas of the "regulars" and their code, but we do not think such articles and others more

bitter at all just to all the members. Stuart Rogers, of the Readpath Lyceum Bureau of Boston, has been secured to give an entertainment at the Opera House, Tuesday night, February 10th.

Mr. Rogers is an artist of the highest order. His readings from Shakespeare is character sketches are incomp Those who have heard him are ununded in their admiration and praise W. H. McCue, a prominent citizen of Auxyasse, Callaway county, aged

the firm of Garrett & McCue, of this city, are his children. Dr. French informs us that he and Drs. Dodson and Welch have withdrawn from the medical society. It looks as though the papers were

of health would have to go. Don't full to read the advertisement of J. A. Potts' big sale to take place Feb. 24th. This will be a big sale and rare bargains will be offered. Stock men and farmers should remember the day and attend. tds

Messrs Kennan, Murray and Henry have presented petitions in the Legislature asking for scientific instruction in the public schools of effects of alcohol. Petition referred to the committee of education.

Bonds Filed. and Loan Association have filed their honds, as follows:

C. D. Rodgers, president. J. W. Howell, vice president. 1,000 J. A. Glundon, secretary.... 5,000 Redman Callaway, tressurer... 10,000

Pay Up. J. H. Runkel has closed his meat market. All who owe him will save trouble and costs by paying up at once. He expects to open again about the first of April. 43-tf

Notice is bereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing be-tween the undersigned, under the firm name of Mahon & Geers, is dissolved, by mutual consent. All out-standing business will be settled by J. A. Mahon who will continue busi-

J. B. Green. Referring to the above I reques J. A. MAHON.

ing of plows, harrows, cultivators, corn planter, two farm wagons and harness, 1 spring wagon and harness, 1 buggy and harness, and many other things.

I would make an earnest appeal to all those knowing themselves indebted to me on old accounts. So come I would make an earnest appeal to ed to me on old accounts. So come TERMS OF SALE .- All sums under \$10, and settle in part or all, or give your

LIKE +•KNOW?

If Bill Atkins ain't a hummer. If Ab really got stuck on one of

the gold (?) rings. When Bennett will sell his pigs, horses, cows and dogs. If Hubert Schmidt's sleigh did not

How many of the boys went rabbit hunting last Monday. If Levi Woods would not make

What the grand jury would do If there are not more babies than

What married man called on a young lady Saturday evening and left What the Laddonia young man meant by writing to his young lady

dence with a park and croquet If a Holiness preacher (at least he says he is a preacher) of this city did not get money from the poor fund aised by Marshal Murray "to buy a load of wood for a poor widow" and

Everybody likes the Iola cigar.

The "stag" party at Maj. Hiram children, and by-the-way he is one of name of the informer could not be They were liable to get pneumonia, the smartest dogs in the county. As found. The following are the names and if some of them who have week than we could supply.

> New City Hall. ing Monday adopted the plans submitted by H. D. Hunter for the city hall without any changes. The building will be 30x56 feet, two stories. fronts, galvanized iron cornices and guilty of thoughtlessness.

trimming, slate roof. There will be

on the first floor the engine room,

an ornament to the city. Miss Annie Hall, of Centralia, and Stuart Rogers, whose great reputation that furnished me the information of all members of the firm, old pat-Miss Anne Hall, of Centralia, and Stuart Rogers, whose great reputation of Miss Alice Wilson, of Santa Fe, are tion as a reciter and impersonator concerning Martin Kunkel's evidence. This is another of his little mistakes. This is another of his little mistakes. J. A. Glandon has sold his resi- Rogers was effective in the character this morning if I would answer the

At the Opera House Tuesday eve., think, deny it.

Smoke The Pullet, a genuine Hagreat loss of property resulted from the LEDGER. He also sends it to his an explosion of a gas pipe in Pitts- father-in-law at Racine, Wis., and to the eastern part of the county, inhis father at Chamois, Osage county, volving the title to a farm in the same Mo. Such men as George are the kind of people who give life, back- of valuable land. It seems that the

suddenly last Saturday just south of wife finally died, leaving one child of Mexico is wonderful. It is quite a composed of exquisite cobwebs, and Mexico at his residence. He had just her own, so that there were five sight Sunday (when the St. Louis floods of rich sunshine give it a beaureturned from California, where he had been for his health. When his Scott Green, now on the Louisiana few hours afterwards, he was dead.

The Building and Loan Association met in the council room Monday Mrs. Sadie Wilfley, of Mexico, and night. The meeting was well attend-Lockridge, of Sturgeon, a pleasant paid \$63 dollars bonus. This is the become of age, and that as they are paid \$63 dollars bonus. This is the become of age, and that as they are his weard Sallie Hon. cheapest money that will be loaned

were right royally entertained by the one. He went over to Jefferson City only about a year ago, the former yesterday. The Mexico opera house is now ward.

tainments on the road.

DON'T

Genuine Bargains!

Circuit Court Proceedings. LADDONIA ITEMS. Robinson vs Deiheimer, continued t cost of defendant. School District 5, 51, 7 vs Robe ontinued at cost of defendant. Mexico Baptist church.

continued.

endant.

swer filed.

plaintiff.

in time to prevent any evil from ari-

Saturday night a large crowd of 'spectators" were present.

spend a pleasant evening. success last week. The music rend ered by Prof. Farmer and Mr. Pendle-Skaggs read a good selection, and H. for extra copies of the LEDGER last Morey's recitation, giving an account of a great mistake, was full of humor. The debate was good. The question for debate next Thursday-Resolved, ning to be found as of old at the post- That the oppression practiced by the British and Russian governments justify the use of dynamite," will be ably discussed by some of our hest deba-

> Miss Steel, of Illinois, sister of Mrs. J. G. Bruton, is visiting here. Mrs. Lucy Hendrick, of Pike coun-Miss Emma Hatton will resume her

better. Mrs. J. B. Clark and little child are quite sick.

Mr. Earhart has resumed work on Everybody says money is getting for plaintiff, \$259. more plentiful, that debts are being ning to smile and lay plans for spring ing out and repairing old plows for

young lady of our town is soon to be ANNIP LAURIE narried. Go to J. W. McKinley's for a Sumatra Principes cigar.

At the Opera House Tuesday eve. February 10th. The Audrain County Medical Sooffice of Drs. Russell & Cave. Mem-

answer in 60 days. Subject for next Saturday eve, "Actions and Uses of Ergot." at 5 o'clock p. m. The council next

diet for plaintiff for \$250. about one hundred applicants and The new county court is now in ost of plaintiff. L. Raftery being the new members generally.

Smoke The Pullet, a genuine Ha-

pleasant call. He is a genial gentle- are doing a fine business with their

Mr. Rogers allows no obstacle

John Sontag and Dr. Patterson are able to be out.

Hudson vs Deteinne, judgment for plaintiff \$118 and possession of land. Silver vs W. St. L. & P. Ry., venue hanged to Pike county. Craddock vs Taylor, judgment for partition, and commissions appointed.

McNama vs Rhoens, continued at cost of the plaintiff. Barton vs Veerkamp, trial by jury and verdict for plaintiff for \$238.34. Self vs Self, divorce, decree mutu-

Constitution of Mo. Baptist Minis-

J. P. Boyd vs R. McNama,

Smith vs Woolwine, judgment

continued at cost of defendant.

judgment by default for \$177.

Lonergan vs St. L., & K. R.

Clacher & Ruloff vs Cunninghan

Barchard vs Moller, judgment fo

Dowell vs Guthrie et al., motion

Lizenberry vs C. & A. R. R. Co

Gray vs Neely. Leave to answer

Beard vs Hale. Leave to answe

in 60 days after plaintiff files bond

Hazen vs Robinson. Leave to

Dowell vs Guthrie (et al) same en

Gill vs Bourne, trial by jury. Ver-

Clark vs Muldrow, final report fil-

Motz vs Douglass, dismissed at

Bohon vs Barkwell, continued

McCuen vs Richards, judgment

Dudley vs Dudley, continued.

defendant to plead in 60 days.

Weaver vs Weaver, leave given

Galbreath vs McMillan, judgment

Messrs. Lee, Mitchell & Purnell

business men and deserve a fine pat-

again in the same places, and often

Bickley vs Neeley, same.

Gant vs Shock, same.

Judy vs Duncan, same.

Settle vs Hamilton, same.

continued at cost of defendant.

set for trial Monday night.

R., dismissed by agreement at cost Kyser Wm

ters Aid Society filed.

by arbitration, at \$434.

R. R., dismissed.

default for \$250.

of defendant.

in 60 days.

Carson vs Eubanks, judgment by agreement, \$15.25. State vs J. L. T. Smith, disn F. E. Martien vs Nathan Downey, Handsome assortment you will find Jno. S. Henderson vs Jno. Clark. Trial set for next Monday.

Maria Cooper vs Warren Cooper, livorce granted. C. A. Smith vs R. H. Hooton, mo tion for new trial overruled. J. G. Trimble assignee Jno Gough, final report filed.

LETTER LIST. Jacobs vs Criswell, verdict for dedate, will be sent to the Dead Letter office at Washington City. Kochling vs Daniel, amended an-

Lockridge John Long Nicholas Martin Judy Medley James Melvin Isaac 2 Moore Richard Parson W M Price Frank Porter Ben

Wells Ida mrs McLeod Thos

right and the code of ethics and board

Temperance in Public Schools.

Married in this city, on the 28th inst., by Rev. J. S. Smith, Wm. Griffith and Mrs. Anna Brooks. On Jan.

ness at the old stand.

to come foward immediately and set-

76 years, clied last week. Mrs. Theo. Garrett and Mr. McCue, formerly of

The officers of Mexico Building

29th, by Rev. J. S. Smith, Wm. A. Sevier and Miss Mary C. Fife all of Audrain.